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**NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31
& PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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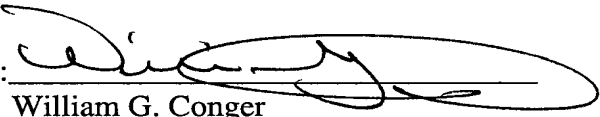
Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated May 17, 2010, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to September 17, 2010.

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated August 30, 2010 in the above-identified patent application.

The appeal fee of \$540.00 as applicable under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) and Petition Fee of \$130.00 are being charged to Deposit Account No. 02-3978 via electronic authorization submitted concurrently herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments as a result of the filing of this paper to Deposit Account No. 02-3978.

Respectfully submitted,

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